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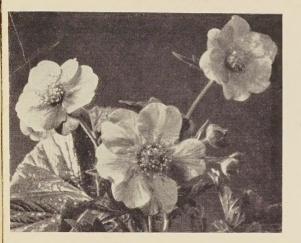
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HELLEBORUS
LENTEN ROSES
Mixed Colors
Each 75c, three \$1.90,
Six \$3.50









TOP NOTCH ROCK PLANTS

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GEUM WAIGHTS BRILLIANT

Each 70c, three \$1.75, six \$3.25 Over the mats of lustrous emerald foliage float the most brilliant, vibrant, orange scarlet blooms imaginable. Brighten your shady rock garden with this gem. Easy in average to good soil.



EPIMEDIUMS

Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 Your choice of red, yellow, or delicate lilac. The fairy Inside Out Flowers are versatile woodlanders of iron-clad hardiness. In early spring come airy stems with red and bronze-tinted foliage and dainty sprays of bewitching crystalline flowers. The small, classically cut leaves are green and heavy-textured in summer.



DOUBLE ARABIS

Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 Happy, hardy carpeter valued for its extravagant masses of double white blossoms in earliest spring. Exceptionally easy to grow in sun or light shade and a "must" for rock gardens and walls or for edging and covering spring bulb beds. Very useful for cutting and combining with other dainty flowers.



ARMERIA PINK PERPETUAL

Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 One of the most persistent-flowering plants in our collection. Both the bright color of the rose pink blooms and their profusion command attention. The mats of evergreen foliage are attractive the year 'round. This choice variety is 6 inches high.



HELIANTHEMUMS Sun Roses for Sunset Colors

Named Varieties Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 Your choice of Apricot, Ben Ledi (claret crimson), Burnt Orange (tawny gold and yellow), Jock Scott (deep "cream of tomato soup" red), Roseblossom (soft clear pink). Tops amongst dwarf shrubs for gorgeous displays of color, ease of culture, and tolerance of hot, dry exposures.

IMPROVED LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY

Fortunei

Superior European variety with fat, extra-large bells just loaded with fragrance and well spaced on sturdy stems ideal for picking. Will grow in poor soil but thrives in good. For shady spots.



THE ELEGANT DAISIES -- You Can Mix

ANTHEMIS-Hardy Marguerites in Dancing Yellow

Moonlight

Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00

Fountains of pale, Daffodil-yellow blossoms, $2\,1/2$ inches across, make a stunning show in the front of any border. Combines beautifully with other Daisies and has unusually ornamental, ferny foliage. Will grow to perfection in almost any soil in sunny exposures.

Rodger Perry

Each 60c, three \$1.50, siz \$2.75

An improved English variety with large, rich golden yellow flowers in great abundance. An imposing sight in full bloom and the cut foliage is very attractive afterwards. This and Moonlight $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet high.

SAVE 15c-Offer 2A1 (One Each Above) -2 PLANTS \$1.10



NEW IN 1951!

EASY HARDY COLORFUL

ASTER ALPELLUS TRIUMPH

ASTER—The Finest Michaelmas Daisies (See "NEW FOR 1952!" Box Inside for New Varieties)

Beechwood Challenger Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 Still the best in its color class. Richest crimson red; 3 feet high.

Harringtons Pink Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 Imposing clear rose pink flowers in bold masses on sturdy plants. Striking, irresistible and by far the finest pink Hardy Aster.

Mt. Rainier Each 55c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 Coolly inviting heads of pure white blooms with yellow eyes. This distinctive variety has been awarded many prizes at flower shows.

Peace (NEW IN 1950!) Each 70c, three \$1.75, six \$3.25 The hundreds of very large 2 inch blooms of soft, warm rosy-lilac are broad-petaled and full. You will marvel at the magnificence of the sturdy, 3 to 4 foot, blossom-laden plants next fall.

Plenty (NEW IN 1950!) Each 70c, three \$1.75, six \$3.25 You will be astonished at the huge 2 inch flowers and their unstinted, full-fashioned form as well as at the perfection of their soft, opalescent blue color. The plants are bushy and reach 3½ to 4 feet.

Prosperity (NEW IN 1950!) Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 A new shade in Machaelmas Daisies and a winner! The large, deep but brilliant, rosy-pink blooms are produced lavishly all autumn.

ViolettaEach 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75
Superative variety introduced by this firm, making a vase-shaped, 5
foot plant which bears immense quantities of blue violet flowers.

One Each of Peace, Plenty and Prosperity SAVE 20c—Offer 2A2—3 PLANTS \$1.80
One Each of All Seven Varieties SAVE 45c—Offer 2A3—7 PLANTS \$3.90

ASTER—Other Hardy Varieties You'll Want

Alpellus Triumph (NEW IN 1951!) Each 70c, three \$1.75, six \$3.25 Imagine the grand flowers of beloved Aster Frikarti on compact little plants only 8 to 10 inches high and you have a good picture of new Triumph. Clear heliotrope blue flowers with Indian yellow centers on sturdy stems. For the sunny border or rockery.

Amellus Summertime (NEW FOR 1952!)

Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00 Large blooms of deep violet blue on compact, 2 foot plants in the summer make this especially valuable for the front of the border.

Frikarti Wonder of Stafa Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00 The old favorite that continues to be the most popular Hardy Aster.

SAVE 15c-Offer 2A4 (One Each Above) -3 PLANTS \$1.85





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Mix 'Em or Match 'Em TOP NOTCH ROCK PLANTS

PAINTED DAISIES—The Gloriously Colorful Pyrethrums

West Hills Improved

Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00

Our own strain developed from the best named varieties. While our plants were in bloom, we hand-picked and tagged only the finest specimens. These include semi-double, heavily crested, and fully double sorts in many soft hues and vivid shades from pink to richest red.

West Hills Singles

Each 55c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75

As a source of inexpensive cut flowers in quantity you will find these a real "buy". The plants will produce this year and for many years to come. A wide assortment of colors; some lightly crested.



EXCITING NEW GIANT AGLAYA

SHASTA DAISIES—Aristocrats in White

Aglaya (NEW IN 1951!)

Each 85c, three \$2.15, six \$3.75

A sumptuous newcomer just imported from Europe which outshines the famous Marconi. The large 3 to 4 inch blooms are very double and frilly and have virtually no center. The flowers are held proudly upright on clean, compact 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ foot plants. Top notch!

Beaute Nivelloise

Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75

Huge blossoms to 6 inches with clear golden centers and the tips of the petals are charmingly cut. Plants to 21/2 feet; very hardy.

Edgebrook Giant (NEW IN 1950!) Each 75c, three \$1.90, six \$3.50 The matchless beauty of the classic single daisy is displayed to perfection by the immense 7 inch blooms. 3 feet; hardy and easy.

Giant Chiffon (NEW FOR 1952!) Each 75c, three \$1.90, six \$3.50 Distinct and stunning with its layer on layer of cut and frilled petals surrounding a small center. Clean, strong, 21/2 foot plants.

Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00

A double row of flat guard petals surrounds and enhances the highcrested, tight center. Hardy and permanent. 21/2 feet high.

One Each of Beaute Nivelloise, Edgebrook Giant, Mt. Shasta SAVE 20c-Offer 2A5-3 PLANTS \$1.80

> One Each of All Five Varieties Above SAVE 45c-Offer 2A6-5 PLANTS \$3.15



FOR NEW THRILLS . . . DRAMATIC PASOUE FLOWER

ANEMONE—Silky Herald of Spring

Pulsatilla West Hills Strain

Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75

In earliest spring Pasque Flowers produce great cups of lavender, violet blue, or purple with luminous golden fountains of stamens in the centers. Our most popular rock plant. Hardy as an Oak, long-lived, and easy in ordinary soil and full sun. Height 1 foot.

COREOPSIS-Best All-Season Performer

Auriculata

Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75

The vibrant golden yellow Daisies, to 2 inches across, float over creeping, dark green mats from mid-spring onwards. Remove the dead blooms to insure the unstinted production of flowers all season.



GOLDEN YELLOW COREOPSIS ALL SEASON



Perennials in the Modern Mode



UNUSUAL MONKSHOOD FOR FALL

Soft lilac blue flowers in large well-proportioned heads. Recommended for late color in the autumn border. Not at all fussy and very hardy and enduring. Forms large clumps; 5 to 6 feet tall.



ASTILBE PLUMES ARE FEATHERY SOFT

ASTILBE-The Peerless Wonder Plume Spireas

DeutschlandEach 70c, three \$1.75, six \$3.25
A masterpiece in white and a "must" for every well-balanced shade planting. An exceptionally vigorous, free-flowering variety.

Each 75c, three \$1.90, six \$3.50 Unchallenged queen of them all! The feathery, artistic blooms are a glowing irresistible red and are a spectacularly lovely sight.

Koblenz (NEW IN 1950!) Each 75c, three \$1.90, six \$3.50 The regal plumes of luminous crimson red are a compelling new shade you will want to brighten that shady spot. $2\,V_2$ feet high.

Peachblossom (NEW FOR 1952!) Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00

Each 70c, three \$1.75, six \$3.25 Warmly inviting clouds of soft crimson pink characterize this grand variety. The modern type with large plumes on strong stems.

SAVE 45c-Offer 2A7 (One Each Above) -5 PLANTS \$3.10

NEW FOR 1952

COLORFUL NEW MICHAELMAS DAISIES

ASTER The Cardinal Each 75c, three \$1.90, six \$3.50 The same breath-taking effect as Blandie but in a crimson of such intensity one can scarcely believe it is an Aster.

HUGE NEW COREOPSIS

COREOPSIS Badengold Each 70c, three \$1.75, six \$3.25 Very large flat blooms of purest molten gold on strong stems for cutting. Much lower, denser foliage than common Coreopsis.

EXCITING NEW HARDY CONEFLOWER

RUDBECKIA Golden Storm Each 85c, three \$2.15, six \$3.75
At last a Brown-Eyed Susan Daisy that is a true perennial and not weedy. Dozens of large golden-rayed, brown-coned blooms.



FLAMING HEUCHERA QUEEN OF HEARTS

Each 65c, three \$1,60, six \$3,00 Called "Queen of the Coralbells" and such she is! The reddest of all and a pure color delight which adds sparks of fire to any garden. Cut the stalks of large, gorgeous blooms freely. Nearly "foolproof".



Blue Snowflake Strain

Translucent beauties of light lavender to deep amethyst bluz with an iridescent when cut.

Ea. 70c, three \$1.75, Six \$3.25.

SAVE 15c-Offer 2A8 (One Each Above) -2 PLANTS \$1.20

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HELIANTHUS—Showy Hardy Sunflower LODDON GOLD



(NEW IN 1950!)

Each 65c, three \$1.60,

The 4 inch, golden yellow double blossoms look very much like a as a cut flower. Indifferent to heat and drought and certain to bloom in

PLANT MODERN GIANT PHLOX FOR A LAVISH DISPLAY OF COLOR ALL SUMMER

> SAVE 75c Offer 2A9 ONE EACH OF ALL 10 VARIFTIES \$5.40



PHLOX-Tops for Flashing Color

B. ComteEach 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75
A satiny, rich wine red, dark but brilliant. Lovely with yellow.

ketch Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 ading light pink with carmine eye; huge florets in large heads. **E. I. Farrington** Each 55c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 Clean and clear soft pink with delightful light salmon undertones.

 $\begin{tabular}{lll} \textbf{Mary Louise} & Each 60c, three $1.50, six 2.75 \\ \textbf{Majestic heads of purest white, spotless as fresh-fallen snow.} & \textbf{Many varieties of white Phlox have been introduced; this is still best.} \\ \end{tabular}$

Miss Lingard Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00 A remarkable suffruticosa type with pyramids of white blooms which open well before the usual kinds. Handsome, rich green, shiny leaves.

R. P. Struthers Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 Old favorite with delectable blooms of watermelon red with dark eye.

Silver Pink (NEW IN 1951!) Each 75c, three \$1.90, six \$3.50 A brand new Phlox originated here and offered for the first time last year. Giant florets in huge trusses and the clean, light rose pink emphasized by the darker eye make this a winner. This variety has a remarkably long season of bloom and the color does not fade.

 $\begin{tabular}{lll} \textbf{Silverton} & Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00 \\ The magnificent heads of romantic art shade lavender, clear and soft, are a pleasure. New and big improvement in this color range. \\ \end{tabular}$

GORGEOUS SPECTRUM COLLECTION

SAVE 35c-Offer 2A10-6 PLANTS \$3.20

SPECIAL BARGAIN COLLECTION

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GEUM-Fiery Gypsy Shades



Each 55c, three \$1.50, Six \$2.75.

set combinations. Cut freely for artistic arrangements. Not for the timid gardener who cannot take his colors "straight". Hardy; easy in sunny spots.

> WHY WAIT? ORDER NOW!

GYPSOPHILA—Finest Double Babysbreath



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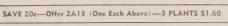
Rosy Veil Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00 The fully double, warm pink flowers are produced in generous abundance.

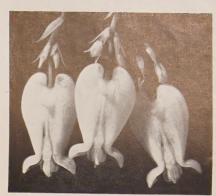
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PLATYCODON Huge New Pink Balloon Flower

New Doubles: Blue or White

Singles: Dark Blue or White





THE EVERBLOOMING WHITE BLEEDING HEART



EXQUISITE BLETILLA . . . HARDY ORCHID

BLETILLA-Grow Your Own Corsage

Striata alba Each 75c, three \$1.90, six \$3.50 Beautiful white blooms warmed by the softest blush pink tints.

SAVE 15c-Offer 2A14 (One Each Above) -2 PLANTS \$1.30



HARDY SALVIAS FOR BLUE AUTUMN SPLENDOR

SALVIA-Purest of Fall Blues

Azurea Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75 Translucent, light China blue, as clear as the autumn skies.

 $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{Pitcheri} & Each 65c, three $1.60, six $3.00 \\ An amazingly intense, luminous shade of rich Delphinium blue without any purple at all. One of the top ten perennials. Give sun; 4 feet. \end{tabular}$

SAVE 15c-Offer 2A15 (One Each Above) -2 PLANTS \$1.10

DELPHINIUM-Gorgeous Spires of Color

Pink Sensation (Pat. No. 324) Each \$1.50, three \$3.75, six \$7.50. The abundant, exquisite blooms on sturdy stems are a rare shade o salmon buff as they begin to open. This shade subtly passes to are entrancing salmon pink and, finally, the fully opened blossoms become a wonderful rose pink. Virtually everblooming; 3 to 4 feet.

SAVE 30c-Offer 2A16 (One Each Above) -2 PLANTS \$1.95



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FABULOUS BLUE POPPY OF TIBET

MECONOPSIS Baileyi (One to a customer) Each \$1.50 Luscious, true sky blue flowers like huge cups of crinkled crepe paper on 3 to 4 foot stems in late spring and early summer. The handsome, bold, bluish-green leaves make an attractive basal clump. Your shady border or woodland garden is not complete without this most beautiful of all Poppies! Cultural suggestions sent with order.

BORDER PERENNIALS

ECHINACEA White Lustre—Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00. Impressively distinct; new; white, many-rayed star with warm brown cone. GENTIANA ascelpiadea—Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00. A rare but easy, 2½ ft. variety for the border. Showy wands of lovely blue. LINUM Six Hills—Each 60¢, three \$1.50, six \$2.75. Showers of wonderful blue all summer; each flower lasts several days; very hardy. MONARDA Croftway Pink—Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00. Large showy heads of clear pink for weeks; minty foliage; very popular. PENSTEMON Garnet—Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75. Reliable and hardy; unusual shade of garnet red; blooms profusely for months. PHYSOSTEGIA Summer Snow—Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75. Dark green leaves are topped by dense spires of quaint white blooms. VERONICA Blue Spire—Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75. Generous quantities of rich, dark blue spikes cover the bushy plants.



EXOTIC ORCHID-LIKE ROSCOEA

ROSCOEA cautleoides

Roots Each \$1.25, three \$3.25

From the mountains of Burma and China comes this exotic, Orchid-like beauty. The blooms of exquisite, pale Primrose yellow, several to each stalk, will delight you. Under average conditions the plants reach a height of 18 inches and the fleshy roots multiply to form substantial clumps. Plant in shaded, well-drained, good, moist soil.

ROCK PLANTS

ALYSSUM saxatile fl.-pl.—Each 65c, three \$1.60, six \$3.00. Double Basket-of-Gold has deeper, richer golden blooms that last longer.

CAMAPNULA Portenschlagiana—Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75. Larger than average bells of luminous violet blue cover neat plants.

CAMPANULA Poscharskyana — Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75. Trailing stems with thousands of starry, lilac blue flowers; robust, hardy.

IBERIS Snowflake—Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75. In mid-spring covered with a blanket of flowers so white they are almost blinding.

IRIS gracilipes—Each 75c, three \$1.90, six \$3.50. Oriental jewel with dainty blue flowers, veined lilac, crested with gold; lovely.

PRIMULA Sieboldi West Hills Strain—Each 60c, three \$1.50, six \$2.75. Hardiest of Primroses! Mixed colors—white, pink, rose, lilac, etc.